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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

RONALD VALENTINE and THERESA
VALENTINE, husband and wife,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

MTD PRODUCTS INC., TECUMSEH
PRODUCTS COMPANY & JOHN'S
POWER EQUIPMENT,

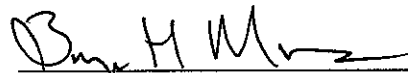
Defendants.

Civil Action No. 07-CV-3914 (MDF)

RULE 7.1 STATEMENT

Pursuant to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 7.1 [formerly Local General Rule 1.9] and to enable District Judges and Magistrate Judges of the Court to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel for Tecumseh Products Company (a non-governmental party) certifies that there are no corporate parents, affiliates and/or subsidiaries of said party, which are publicly held.

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